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1844-1851

102-122 E. Hamburg St./900-904 Compton St. (North side Hamburg; West side Compton)
Baltimore, Md.

Private access

A short (102-104 E. Hamburg St.) and long row (106-122 E. Hamburg St.) of two story plus attic, two bay wide brick houses with gable roofs mark this side of Hamburg St. All of the houses were built by John S. Gittings as part of his development of the southern section of this block and are quite similar to the same type of houses built by Gittings along Hamburg and Wheeling Streets to the west of Light St. 900-904 Compton St. are a row of two story plus attic, two bay wide brick houses with gable roofs built by Francis Kines, who also built a row of similar houses at 905-909 Light St., just to the west of these houses. Many of the houses on this block of Hamburg St. have recently been renovated.

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INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

1 NAME

HISTORIC

AND/OR COMMON

2 LOCATION

STREET & NUMBER

900-904 Compton St.

CITY, TOWN

Baltimore

___ VICINITY OF

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

STATE

Maryland

COUNTY

3 CLASSIFICATION

CATEGORY

___DISTRICT
☒BUILDING(S)
___STRUCTURE
___SITE
___OBJECT

OWNERSHIP

___PUBLIC
☒PRIVATE
___BOTH
PUBLIC ACQUISITION
___IN PROCESS
___BEING CONSIDERED

STATUS

☒OCCUPIED
___UNOCCUPIED
___WORK IN PROGRESS
ACCESSIBLE
☒YES: RESTRICTED
___YES: UNRESTRICTED
___NO

PRESENT USE

___AGRICULTURE ___MUSEUM
___COMMERCIAL ___PARK
___EDUCATIONAL ☒PRIVATE RESIDENCE
___ENTERTAINMENT ___RELIGIOUS
___GOVERNMENT ___SCIENTIFIC
___INDUSTRIAL ___TRANSPORTATION
___MILITARY ___OTHER:

4 OWNER OF PROPERTY

NAME

Telephone #:

STREET & NUMBER

CITY, TOWN

___ VICINITY OF

STATE, zip code

5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE,
REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.

Records Office Room 601

Liber #:

Folio #:

STREET & NUMBER

Baltimore City Courthouse

CITY, TOWN

Baltimore

STATE

Maryland 21202

6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE

DATE

___FEDERAL ___STATE ___COUNTY ___LOCAL

DEPOSITORY FOR
SURVEY RECORDS

CITY, TOWN

STATE

7 DESCRIPTION**CONDITION**

☐ EXCELLENT
☐ GOOD
☒ FAIR

☐ DETERIORATED
☐ RUINS
☐ UNEXPOSED

CHECK ONE

☒ UNALTERED
☐ ALTERED

CHECK ONE

☒ ORIGINAL SITE
☐ MOVED DATE _____

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

This group of two story plus attic brick houses with gable roofs was built in the late 1840's by the same developer who built the neighboring rows on Hamburg St.

The houses are two and a half stories in height, 10 1/2' wide, and occupy lots 30' deep. Each house is two rooms deep; there are no rear additions. The houses are constructed in common bond. The low-pitched gable roof has a continuous two-tier brick cornice extending across the facade. Each house has a double rectangular chimney located on the north side of both the front and rear roof gables.

The first and second story door and window openings have splayed brick lintels and the attic windows have no lintels. All of the sills are brick header sills. The first and second story window openings are all filled with 1/1 sash; the attic windows at 900 and 902 Compton have 3/3 sash and the attic windows at 904 Compton have 2/2 sash. Each house has a late Victorian, horizontally paneled door set beneath a single light transom. The houses sit on low basements, the entrances being reached by three brick (900-902) or three stone (904) steps each. Each house has a rectangular coal opening located beneath the first floor window.

CONTINUE ON SEPARATE SHEET IF NECESSARY

8 SIGNIFICANCE

PERIOD		AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE -- CHECK AND JUSTIFY BELOW			
<input type="checkbox"/> PREHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-PREHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY PLANNING	<input type="checkbox"/> LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> RELIGION	
<input type="checkbox"/> 1400-1499	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-HISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> CONSERVATION	<input type="checkbox"/> LAW	<input type="checkbox"/> SCIENCE	
<input type="checkbox"/> 1500-1599	<input type="checkbox"/> AGRICULTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> ECONOMICS	<input type="checkbox"/> LITERATURE	<input type="checkbox"/> SCULPTURE	
<input type="checkbox"/> 1600-1699	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ARCHITECTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> EDUCATION	<input type="checkbox"/> MILITARY	<input type="checkbox"/> SOCIAL/HUMANITARIAN	
<input type="checkbox"/> 1700-1799	<input type="checkbox"/> ART	<input type="checkbox"/> ENGINEERING	<input type="checkbox"/> MUSIC	<input type="checkbox"/> THEATER	
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<input type="checkbox"/> 1900-	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNICATIONS	<input type="checkbox"/> INDUSTRY	<input type="checkbox"/> POLITICS/GOVERNMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (SPECIFY)	
		<input type="checkbox"/> INVENTION			

SPECIFIC DATES 1845-1850

BUILDER/ARCHITECT Francis Kines

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

See under 106-122 E. Hamburg St. and 905 Light St.

These houses were built on the rear portion of Kines' property at 905-909 Light St. Like most houses of this type they were held for the rental income they produced by the Kines family until early in the twentieth century.

9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

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10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY _____

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES

STATE

COUNTY

STATE

COUNTY

11 FORM PREPARED BY

NAME / TITLE

M.E. Hayward / Historic Sites Surveyor

ORGANIZATION

Maryland Historical Trust / Struever Bros. & Eccles

DATE

4/79

STREET & NUMBER

1745 Circle Rd.

TELEPHONE

CITY OR TOWN

Ruxton

STATE

Maryland 21204

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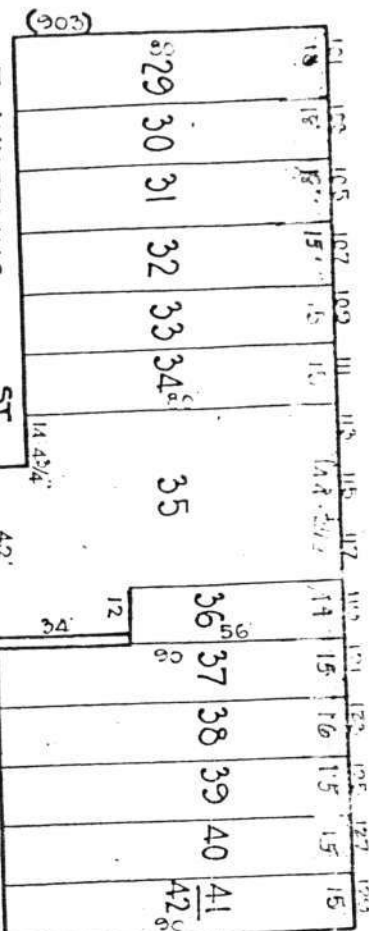
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WARREN

AVE.

906

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E. WHEELING ST.

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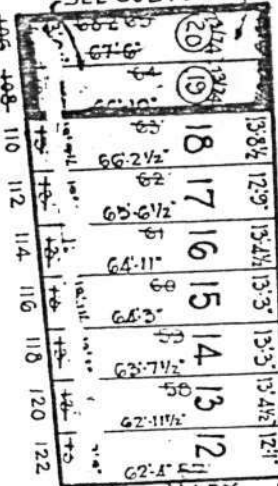
WILLIAM

920
937

E. HAMBURG

COMPTON

SEE SUB PLAN



COMPTON ST.

936

936

CRT.

SUNWALT

WHORNS CRT.

B-3259
900-904 Compton Street
Block 0919 Lots 043-045
Baltimore City
Baltimore East Quad.





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900-904 Compton St.

M.E.H.

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East elevation

036m20
4344